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Claims 1-18 are from the patent for which a reissue is sought and are now pending.

Claims 19, 39-43, 63-67 and 73-101 are now pending.

Support for claim 19 can be found at least in original claim 1, and in Col. 1, lines 12-16 and 59-61, Col. 2, lines 15-21, and Claims 2-5 and 13-18.

Claims 20-38 have been cancelled.

Support for claim 39 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 40-67, Col. 4, lines 1-13 and 44-58, Col. 5, lines 29-32, Col. 6, lines 1-4, and Figs. 1 and 4.

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Support for claim 40 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17 and Fig. 1.

Support for claim 41 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8 and Fig. 1.

Support for claim 42 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17 and 49-65; and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Figs. 1 and 7.

Support for claim 43 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 1-4; and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 7, and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 1.

Claims 44-62 have been cancelled.

Support for claim 63 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 40-67, Col. 4, lines 1-13 and 44-53, and Col. 7, lines 37-44, 54-57, and Fig. 4.

Support for claim 64 can be found at least in Col. 7, lines 54-57.

Support for claim 65 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 44-53.

Support for claim 66 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17.

Support for claim 67 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Claims 68-72 have been cancelled.

Support for claim 73 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 48-67, Col. 4, lines 1-13 and 44-53, Col. 5, lines 29-32, Col. 6, lines 1-4, and Fig. 4, and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 7.

Support for claim 74 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17.

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Support for claim 75 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Support for claim 76 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 31-35.

Support for claim 77 can be found at least in Col 4, lines 53-55, and Col 6, lines 1-4, and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 7.

Support for claim 78 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17 and 51-65.

Support for claim 79 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17 and 49-51, and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 7.

Support for claim 80 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Support for claim 81 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 51-65.

Support for claim 82 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-16, and Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Support for claim 83 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Support for claim 84 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 48-51, Col. 4, lines 10-13 and 44-65, Col. 5, lines 29-32, and Col. 6, lines 1-4

Support for claim 85 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17.

Support for claim 86 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Support for claim 87 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 44-53.

Support for claim 88 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

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Support for claim 89 can be found at least in Fig. 4.

Support for claim 90 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-16, Col. 5, lines 29-32, and Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Support for claim 91 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Support for claim 92 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 48-67, Col. 4, lines 1-13 and 44-53, Col. 7, lines 37-44 and 54-57, and Fig. 4.

Support for claim 93 can be found at least in Col. 7, lines 54-57, and Col. 7, lines 55-57.

Support for claim 94 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 44-53, and Col. 7, lines 55-57.

Support for claim 95 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17.

Support for claim 96 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Support for claim 97 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-13, Col. 2, lines 2-5, Col. 3, lines 29-32 and 48-51, Col. 4, lines 10-17 and 44-65, Col. 5, lines 4-8 and 29-32, and Col. 6, lines 1-4, and Col. 5, lines 42-50 and Fig. 7.

Support for claim 98 can be found at least in Col. 5, lines 4-8.

Support for claim 99 can be found at least in Col. 4, lines 10-17 and 49-51.

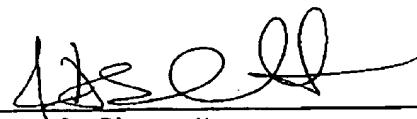
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Support for claim 100 can be found at least in Col. 1, lines 12-16, Col. 5, lines 29-32, and Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Support for claim 101 can be found at least in Col. 6, lines 1-4.

Respectfully submitted,

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